

14. (once amended) An electric motor assembly comprising:

a motor housing;

a stator mounted in said housing and comprising a bore therethrough, said stator having at least one main winding and at least one auxiliary winding;

a rotor core rotatably mounted in said housing and extending through said stator bore;

a capacitor in series with said auxiliary winding and comprising at least one capacitor terminal; and

an endshield connected to said housing, said endshield comprising a body and at least one mounting ear extending from said body, said at least one mounting ear having a slot extending completely therethrough.

15. (once amended) An electric motor assembly in accordance with Claim 14 wherein said endshield further comprises a capacitor cover extending from said body and configured to cover said at least one capacitor terminal and maintain said at least one capacitor terminal between said endshield body and said capacitor cover.

18. (twice amended) A method of mounting an electric motor assembly to a machine, the electric motor assembly including a motor housing having an outer surface, a capacitor having at least one terminal, and an endshield, the endshield including a body, said method comprising:

providing a capacitor cover integral with and extending from the endshield body such that the capacitor cover extends radially outward from the motor outer surface when the endshield is coupled to the electric motor; and

mounting the endshield to the motor housing such that the capacitor cover covers the at least one capacitor terminal.

22. (once amended) An endshield in accordance with Claim 7 further comprising a capacitor cover extending radially outward from said body such that said capacitor cover